

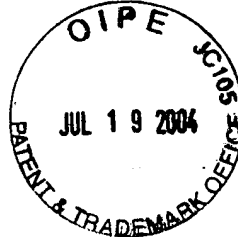



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CONFIRMATION NO. 7832

## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ader et al.

Application No. 10/809,664

Art Unit: 2876

Filed: March 25, 2004

Examiner: Unassigned

For: MOUNTING FOOT FOR LIGHT BAR

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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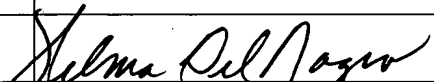
Dear Sir

Applicants hereby respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 14, 2004.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Applicant

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8</b>			
I hereby certify that this Response and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.			
Name (Print/Type)	Wilma Del Nagro		
Signature		Date	July 14, 2004

**2. Documents Submitted Herewith**

- a. ☒ Executed Declaration of inventor(s)  
b. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:  
i. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
ii. Specification Sequence Listing on:  
(1) ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  
(2) ☐ Paper Copy  
iii. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies  
c. ☐ Verified English translation of application  
d. ☒ Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application  
e. ☐ Substitute Drawings  
f. ☐ Other:

**3. Application Filing Fee**

- a. ☒ No application filing fee due  
b. ☐ Application filing fee due in amount calculated below:

APPLICATION FEES				
BASIC FEE				\$ 770.00
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total Claims	-20=		x \$18.00	\$
Independent Claims	- 3=		x \$86.00	\$
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Total of above calculations =				\$
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Fee Already Paid =				\$( )
Fee Due =				\$

**4. Late Filing of Oath or Declaration Surcharge**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

**Fee Due** \$130.00

**5. Non-English Specification Surcharge**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

**Fee Due** \$ 0.00

**6. Extension of Time**

- ☐ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00.
- ☒ Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**Fee Due**        \$

**7. Total Fee Due**

The total fee due is:

Application Filing Fee	\$
Late Filing of Declaration Surcharge	\$130.00
Non-English Specification Surcharge	\$ 0.00
Extension of Time Fee	\$ 0.00


**Total Fee Due: \$130.00**

**8. Fee Payment**

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$130.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

**9. Fee Deficiency**

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

  
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